IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

Group Art Unit: 2123

Igor Keller

Examiner: Pierre Louis, Andre

Serial No.: 10/644,225

Confirmation No.: 6463

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For: RECEIVER DEPENDENT SELECTION OF A WORST-CASE TIMING EVENT FOR STATIC

TIMING ANALYSIS

REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.114 WITH AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION

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Commissioner for Patents

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Dear Sir:

In response to the final Office Action mailed on March 18, 2008, Applicants request for continued examination under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 and amends the above-identified application as follows.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2.

Remarks begin on page 9.